

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1180

By Lynn

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend the Mt. Juliet High School girls' basketball team upon winning the TSSAA District 9-AAA Girls' Basketball Championship.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should specially recognize and applaud those successful high school sports teams that, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors for this State; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable group of athletes is the Mt. Juliet High School girls' basketball team, which recently won the 2018 Tennessee Secondary School Athletic Association (TSSAA) District 9-AAA Girls' Basketball Championship; and

WHEREAS, district championships are achieved only through hard work, dedication, and the ability to work together as a team and excel with a cooperative spirit, and the Mt. Juliet Lady Bears exhibited each of these rare qualities during their championship season; and

WHEREAS, with their unparalleled athletic prowess, the Lady Bears defeated the two-time championship team, the Wilson Central High School Wildcats, by a final score of 54-44; and

WHEREAS, the members of this exemplary team are Tondrianna Davis, Aaliyah Frazier, Alex Houston, Alyssa Williamson, Anna Riggs, Ashlyn Riggs, Emma Palmer, Gentry Houston, Halle Jones, Isabella Houston, Kaitlyn Bertram, Nevaeh Majors, Shelby Petty, and Ryleigh Osborne; and

WHEREAS, Emma Palmer, Shelby Petty, and Nevaeh Majors were named to the All-Tournament Team; Ms. Palmer was also named Tournament Most Valuable Player; and

WHEREAS, this team of champions undoubtedly benefited from the vast knowledge and steadfast leadership of its head coach, Chris Fryer; this tremendous victory gives the Lady Bears their second district championship during Coach Fryer's tenure; and

WHEREAS, these young women from Mt. Juliet High School epitomize all that is good in today's student athletes, as they have achieved the highest level of success and shown the highest degree of character both in and out of the athletic arena; and

WHEREAS, we find it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the Lady Bears of Mt. Juliet High School for serving as examples of the high quality of the youth of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor and commend the Mt. Juliet High School girls' basketball team upon winning the TSSAA District 9-AAA Girls' Basketball Championship, applaud the team's tremendous athletic prowess, and extend to each member our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.